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Peace Prospects Continue to Grow Brighter

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Good to Eat

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DRIVE OF ALLIES STILL SUCCESSFUL

New Territory Being Captured and
German Losses Reported
Heavy.

(By Associated Press.)

London, July 5.—The French captured a line of German trenches east of Carlu in the English-French drive and also captured Serment Farm, facing Clory, Paris says today. This indicated the French are moving eastward along the north bank of the Somme River toward Vronne. Thus far the French have taken nine thousand prisoners. A Reuter dispatch from the western front says the Germans made counter attacks on the new British positions at Thiepval after a heavy bombardment, but were easily repulsed. Prisoners are quoted as saying German units are being rushed to the Somme front from as far as Verdun to the east and Lens to the north. Heavy fighting continued throughout the night in the neighborhood of the Aisne and the Somme rivers, says a London statement timed at 1 o'clock. Further progress at certain "important points" was also made.

Berlin announces violent fighting between the Germans and ententes on both sides of the Somme River since last night, but up to the present time the official statement says, the allies nowhere obtained serious advantages.

The Russian troops are again attacking the German line from Zirlin to Baranovich, Lithuania. According to a statement from Berlin there was stubborn hand to hand fighting in which the Russians sustained losses.

Take Many Prisoners.

(By Associated Press.)

Paris, July 5.—(Bulletin.)—The Anglo-French offensive thus far has resulted in taking fifteen thousand prisoners. Judging from these figures it is estimated the German losses will reach sixty thousand.

METHODIST PRAYER MEETING.

Rev. J. Dobes will conduct the prayer meeting tonight and speak about John Huss, the Bohemian martyr. Everybody is invited.

C. T. TALLY, Pastor.

TRAINMEN ARE IN SESSION AT DALLAS

Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen
Discussing Conditions Now Ex-
isting in the United States.

(By Associated Press.)

Dallas, Texas, July 5.—Texas railroad men of the brotherhoods of trainmen, firemen, engineers and conductors are meeting in Dallas today to discuss the situation now existing between employees and roads of the United States. General chairmen of the brotherhoods will hold an extensive session here, and Texas chairmen have been asked to attend a general meeting of all state representatives in New York, July 31, when the vote on the proposed strike of all railroads will be tabulated and announced.

BRYAN BOY MAKES FINE RECORD

The many friends of Mr. T. P. Raynor, son of Dr. P. M. Raynor, and an old Bryan boy, will be rejoiced to learn of his fine record in Harvard University. In a recent examination in perhaps the hardest course offered in the university, Higher English, Mr. Raynor made four A's. His work throughout his course there has been exceptionally fine, and has called from his teachers special mention for its excellence. Mr. Raynor's whole course in school has been a brilliant one. He graduated from Allen Academy, taking the senior scholarship medal. He then entered the University of Texas, where he soon won special mention for the excellence of his work. In the University of Chicago he did the same high class work that had characterized his course in other schools.

He has recently been awarded a scholarship in Harvard. He will remain during the summer, doing special work, and will graduate next year.

ATTEND COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY.

Misses Winifred Thomas and Wesa Weddington left yesterday for New Orleans and will sail for New York City, where they will enter the summer school of the Columbia University. These ladies will be away the remainder of the summer.

TENSION AT WASHINGTON IS GREATLY RELIEVED

The Carranza Reply Was Received Today and was as Mild in Tone as Forecasted Tuesday. Washington Made no Official Comment Pending a Conference Between the President and Secretary Lansing. Some Officials Believe the Note Removes All Danger of War. The Note Asks for the Withdrawal of Our Troops and There Are Indications the Request Will Be Granted. All Are Agreed the Crisis is Passed.

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, July 5.—The Mexican reply to the demands of the United States, conciliatory in terms and giving a desire to reach a friendly adjustment of the difficulties between the two countries, was delivered to the state department today. Until President Wilson and Secretary of State Lansing confer, there will be no formal comment.

Some state department officials did not attempt to conceal the fact that they considered the note most satisfactory and likely to remove all war dangers.

The note cites the release of the Carrizal prisoners as proof of the sincerity of the Mexican government to reach a pacific arrangement of the present difficulties and then makes a veiled suggestion that mediation or direct diplomatic negotiations between the two countries would quickly solve all problems.

The note, as forecasted, asks for the withdrawal of American troops on the belief that their presence is conducive to border hostilities and

conflicts, as well as a trespass on the sovereignty of Mexico.

It says Mexico will employ all efforts to protect the border and asks the United States to instruct its civil and military commanders to prevent acts which might cause new complications.

It was virtually certain with the receipt of the note that the Mexican crisis had passed. With more than a hundred and fifty thousand regulars and guardsmen on the border, the necessity for keeping General Pershing a great distance beyond the line is lessened, according to the officials.

Think Break Averted.

(By Associated Press.)

San Antonio, Texas, July 5.—The failure of the war department to notify General Funston of the divisions of his command, is regarded by some military men today as a reflection that the administration hopes an open break with Mexico may be averted. The division recommendations were made when war seemed inevitable.

CALL MADE FOR BANK STATEMENTS

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, July 5.—The comptroller of the currency issued a call today for the national bank statements of conditions at the close of business June 30, 1916.

Almost as much interest is being manifested in Kansas over some Aztec corn 1000 years old as would be stirred up in Kentucky upon the receipt of some corn juice of similar antiquity.—Arkansas Gazette.

GERMAN-AMERICANS TO WAGE CAMPAIGN

Resolutions Are Adopted Urging All
German Citizens of Texas to Vote
Against Submission.

(By Associated Press.)

Austin, Texas, July 5.—German-Americans of Texas have decided to wage an active campaign against submission in the July primary election. At a meeting held here recently of the Texas branch of the German-American alliance, resolutions were adopted urging upon all citizens of Texas of German descent to vote against submission in this election. This organization also denounced the use of the term "Hyphenated Americans," and went on record as opposing any candidate who is not in sympathy with the views entertained by that body.

HOTEL BRYAN ARRIVALS.

J. M. Jones, College.
R. H. Chatham, Dallas.
F. E. Jones, Bryan.
Pickens Pedtross, Louisiana.
A. D. Sims, Jr., and wife, Navasota.
C. W. Dandern, Austin.
V. R. Bynum, Mart.
S. J. LeSwain, Mart.
W. J. Glenn, Houston.
Mrs. Wm. T. Murge, Lampasas.
Mrs. H. P. Edwards, Lampasas.
Miss Cecile Mistrot, Bryan.
Mrs. F. E. Mistrot, Bryan.
Frank B. Garrett, Dallas.
F. R. Jones, Bryan.
J. K. Carr, Houston.
L. G. Kimbrough, Houston.
J. F. Robinson, Houston.
Gus J. Myers, Houston.
W. F. Richards, Houston.
C. B. Forreets, Jacksonville.

Ford Contest Will Soon be Over

Only a few more days to secure voucher for Ford Automobile. Contests closes Friday night, July 7th, at 6 o'clock.

PHONE
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ARM BROS.
GROCERS

PHONE
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HEAVY GALE ON MEXICAN GULF

Reached Velocity of 75 Miles an Hour
at Entrance to Mobile
Bay.

(By Associated Press.)

Mobile, Ala., July 5.—A tug arriving today from Fort Morgan, reported a 75-mile gale raging at the entrance to Mobile Bay in the gulf. Barges and schooners were dragging their anchors and it is feared they will be beached.

Storm Signals Ordered Up.

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, July 5.—An order was issued this morning by the government weather bureau to display hurricane warnings from New Orleans, La., to Mobile, Ala. The storm, according to reports, is approaching from the East Louisiana coast.

DEATHS HOURLY IN NEW YORK CITY

Infantile Paralysis Epidemic Contin-
ues to Take Toll of Baby Lives
in New York Boroughs.

(By Associated Press.)

New York, July 5.—The range of death has been hourly maintained today and yesterday by the infantile paralysis epidemic that has gotten such headway in the different boroughs of this city. There were ten deaths between the hours of 10 o'clock last night and 10 this morning. All efforts to control the dreaded disease have been futile.

DANCE TOMORROW NIGHT.

The regular weekly informal dance given by the Elks will be held tomorrow night at their club rooms. The entertainment committee requests the announcement made that all Elks and visiting brothers check a name and be present. This affair has been in progress now for several weeks and is very enjoyable.

PROHIBITIONISTS ADOPT THE CAMEL

National Prohibition Party at Chicago
Adopts the Dry Animal as
Their Emblem.

(By Associated Press.)

Chicago, July 5.—The camel was adopted today as the campaign emblem of the prohibitionist party. This was the announcement made at the national headquarters this morning. The emblem will consist of a small gun metal animal in a button form and is to be worn in the lapel of the coat.

COTTON TAKES LEAP

The future cotton market today regained all that it lost last week when the conditions report came in. The market broke 30 points immediately after the government report was made and today it regained what it had lost. Middling cotton is worth today in New Orleans 13 cents per pound basis middling.

PRAYER MEETING.

The prayer meeting tonight at the First Baptist Church at 8:15. Service will be led by the assistant pastor. All are cordially invited to attend.

A. T. COLEMAN, Assistant Pastor.

HOLE STOVE IN AMERICAN LINER

Ship Ryndam Leaving New York in
January Arrives at Rotterdam
With Hole in Forepeak.

(By Associated Press.)

Rotterdam, July 5.—The Holland-American liner Ryndam, which left New York City on the 17th day of last January, arrived here today with a large hole in her forepeak which was caused from hitting a rock near Kirkwall in a dense fog. There were no casualties when the accident occurred.

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